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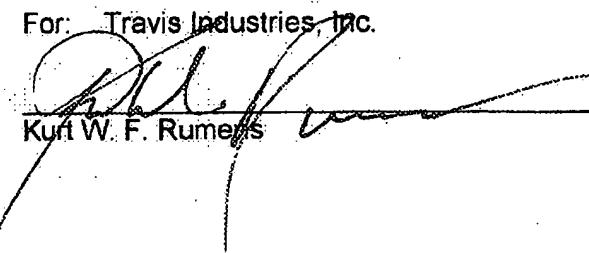
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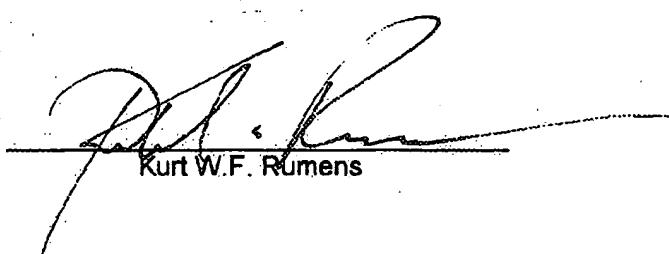
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ASSIGNMENT BY INVENTOR

This Assignment is by Kurt W.F. Rumens (the "Assignor"), residing at 11806 84th Avenue NE, Kirkland, Washington 98033. The Assignor has invented one or more certain inventions (the "Invention(s)") described in a Patent application for Letters Patent of the United States entitled FIREPLACE INSTALLATION ASSEMBLY (the "Application"), already filed on March 26, 2004 as U.S. Application No. 10/811,068.

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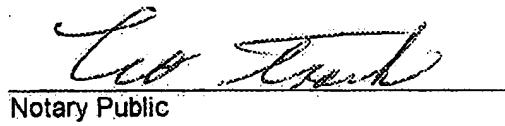


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Date: 10-6-04

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On this 6th day of October, 2004, before me
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